

EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT

1. The application has been amended as follows:

All of the amendments to the specification, filed on September 22, 2008, have been deleted.

On page 7 of the specification, following the end of the specification, the followings have been inserted: -- Alternatively, the rails may have U-shaped profiles. --.

2. Should the above changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

REQUIREMENTS

3. The oath or declaration is defective. A new oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.67(a) identifying this application by application number and filing date is required. See MPEP §§ 602.01 and 602.02.

The oath or declaration is defective because:
Non-initialed and/or non-dated alterations have been made to the oath or declaration. See 37 CFR 1.52(c).

EXAMINER'S COMMENTS

4. The replacement and new sheets of drawings, filed on September 22, 2008, are not approved for entry because all of the specific details shown in these drawings are not fully supported by the originally filed disclosure. Accordingly, the above deletion of the amendments to the specification is obviously necessary so as to maintain consistencies between the instant specification and the drawings.

5. Regarding the previous objection to the specification, made in the Office Action dated June 19, 2008, such objection is now overcome by the above amendment to the last paragraph of the instant specification.

Regarding the previous objection to the drawings, made in the Office Action dated June 19, 2008, the examiner has reconsidered and decided to withdraw the objections to the drawings because the showings of such features indicated in the objections are not deemed to be critical.

6. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to MARK T. LE whose telephone number is (571)272-6682. The examiner can normally be reached on Mon-Fri, between 8:15-4:45 (Teleworking).

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Samuel Morano can be reached on 571-272-6684. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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